

## If I Should Lose You.

If I should lose you, sweetheart,  
And alone be doomed to tread  
The bleak and gloomy highway,  
With its flowers drooped and dead,  
I would feel one sweet emotion,  
That would quicken love anew—  
It would be that God's own blessing  
Made me happy, once, with you!

If I should lose you, sweetheart,  
And the songs you sang to me  
Were but the faintest echo  
From the land of memory,  
They would cling, and be my music,  
As in days when loving grew—  
I would listen and in dreaming,  
Once more, sweetheart, be with you!

If I should lose you, sweetheart,  
And the touch of tender lips  
Be denied me in the future  
As the weary waiting slips,  
I would kiss the rose you gave,  
Gave me crowned with sparkling dew,  
And its fragrance would, forever,  
Bring sweet thoughts to me of you!

Two IRISH ANECDOTES.—We have so often laughed at Pat for his droll errors of speech that it is pleasant to laugh with him occasionally at the expense of some one else. It is possible to do this when we recall the old tale of the Yankee and the Irishman, who were riding along a country road together, when they came to a gallows.

"See that, Pat?" said the Yankee with a smile. "Where would you be if the gallows had its due?"

"Roiding along!" said Pat, quietly.

Another funny tale is told of a rather idle Irish boy on board a man-of-war. It was very difficult to keep him at work, and the boatswain who had charge of him was much annoyed by the boy's laziness. Seeing him on the mainmast one morning, gazing idly out at the sea, the boatswain called out to him:

"Come down out of that, ye rascal! Come down out of that, an' ol' give yez a dozen whacks wid me rope!"

"Faith, sorr!" replied the boy, "oi wouldn't come down if ye offered me two dozen!"

It is not always advisable to bring up children in the strictly orthodox fashion. Mamie's mother was very ill, and Mamie was brought in to see her.

"Oh, my dear, what would you do without mamma?" asked the sick mother.

"I don't know, mamma, but I suppose it would be all for the best," responded this child of orthodoxy.

"You hard hearted little thing!" exclaimed the mother, who promptly proceeded to get well again. —Texas Siftings.

THE CHAMPION CRUMP.—A Bridgeport (Conn.) clergyman recently preached a sermon in which he thanked God that there had been frost enough to destroy the apple-blossoms in that section, and trusted that it would also destroy every apple-blossom throughout the length and breadth of the land. This would destroy the apple crop, he argued, and consequently there would be no cider and the cause of temperance would be benefited. —New York Tribune.

London in 1894 had a population of 4,349,166, spread over 121 square miles, according to the recent report of the Registrar General, an average of 97,250 to the square mile and 58 to the acre. The most densely populated districts are Whitechapel, with 196 to the acre, and Shoreditch with 191. The death rate was 17.8 to 1,000, the lowest since a record has been kept. The highest death rate for the year in any English town was 23.8 in Liverpool.

Somebody who has tried it recommends putting pulverized potash, which soon becomes sticky when exposed to the air, in all the rat holes about the house. The special distillation of a rat is anything which will stick to its silky coat. Some persons find a mixture of equal parts of cayenne pepper and Scotch snuff sprinkled well into holes is still more efficacious. —Scientific American.

Evaporated potatoes is the latest preserved food product of the Pacific coast. A Washington concern engaged in the business of preparing evaporated prunes has been experimenting with potatoes and finds that, prepared in this way, they will keep good for an indefinite time and retain practically all their food value.

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## LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—Miss Angie Ballou, of Stanford, will organize a class in elocution and music here in August.

—Died at McCreary after a short illness, Mrs. Virginia Naudin. Interment in the cemetery of that vicinity.

—Mr. Mack Elliott a young man well qualified for the work, will teach the public school at Herring's school-house the ensuing term.

—Lancaster for the first time received her Sunday afternoon mail from Stanford at 3:30. Of course she is proud of this advancement.

—Elder Wm. Stanley, of Flemingsburg, preached an able sermon at the Christian church Sunday morning, on the "Union of Christians."

—Dr. Lapeley McKee, of Danville, one of the ablest ministers of the Presbyterian church, preached for that congregation here on Sunday.

—On Saturday afternoon every precinct in the county held a meeting and selected delegates to the county convention, which met here in the court-house at 2 P. M., Monday.

—The scarcity of old wheat in this section causes it to command a good price. Mr. Ed Price recently sold his to Ward Bros. at 85c per bushel and Mr. H. B. Marksberry's wheat brought him 85c per bushel.

—Mr. Woods Ogilvie, of Upper Garrard, recently sold to Mr. Charles Graves a horse for \$90. Mr. Prewitt bought of Messrs. Tuggle & Chestnut, of Marksberry, a fine lot of 80-pound lambs at 5c. Mr. McClure bought of J. C. Bryant, of Bryantsville, one pair of mules for \$140.

—The general impression is that the board of trustees have selected a principal for the graded school, giving it to Prof. Gowen, brother of Elder George Gowen, of this place. Prof. Gowen holds the best testimonials from instructors of Middle Tennessee and will no doubt give satisfaction.

—Mr. Joe Francis, Jr., of this place, had the misfortune to lose a fine \$140 buggy while in Danville last week at a party. Instead of receiving his own new buggy, when he called for it at one of the livery stables, an old dilapidated one was left in its stead. We hope Mr. Francis will be able to secure his stolen property.

—It is something of a coincidence, but nevertheless true that on Sunday morning we had three of our pulpits filled by three visiting preachers, Dr. McKee, of Danville, occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church; Elder Wm. Stanley, of Flemingsburg, preached at the Christian church, and Rev. Mills, of Lincoln county, at the Methodist church.

—The stock sale at Mr. Ed Ballard's, of Paint Lick, on Saturday, 15th, drew a big crowd of spectators, but not many purchasers. 25 horses were sold on six months time at unusually low prices and 50 per cent. under the usual price. One very valuable horse brought only \$50, that some time ago Mr. Ballard had been offered \$500 for, and quite recently had refused \$150 for the same horse.

—Mr. Anson Shea, a former resident of Lancaster, died in Louisville at the home of his sister, Mrs. Martin Beck, after a lingering illness of consumption. It is a sad fact that since the residence of Mr. Shea and family in Lancaster there have been three deaths in the family. First, a grown son, succumbed to that fatal disease, consumption, then next follows the mother, then in quick succession, only a few years intervening, a second brother and son's career is cut short in the early years of manhood by the same disease. Three deaths in the family in so short a time is indeed a sad thought to contemplate, especially for the bereaved ones.

—Capt. Wm. Herndon has returned from Martinsville, Ind. Rev. T. H. Campbell has returned from a protracted visit to relatives in Virginia. Mrs. W. O. Rigney and Mrs. T. A. Walker are at home after a pleasant visit to Ashland. Master Nolton Frank, of Flemingsburg, is the guest of his little friend, Master Joel Walker. Mrs. J. M. Frazee leaves for her home in Maysville to-day after a week's visit to her sister, Mrs. H. C. Jennings. Miss Catherine Craig, of St. Louis, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. D. M. Lackey. Miss Mattie Walker has returned from a visit to Mrs. J. C. Bogle, of Danville. Miss Stella Morton has returned to her home in Lexington. Miss Alice Budson is visiting her aunt in Ashland. Misses Lizzie and Mattie Thompson left Thursday to visit relatives and friends in Hustonville. Mrs. Leila Bettis and daughter, of Lyndale, are guests of Miss Bettie Doores. Mr. Charley Denman, of Nicholasville, was the guest Sunday of Miss Carrie West. Mr. John M. Anderson has returned from a visit to his son at Gallatin, Tenn. Miss Alice Baughman, of Danville, is expected this week and will be entertained by Miss Bettie Robinson while here. Mr. W. I. Williams has returned from a visit to Danville. Mrs. Blanche Sweeney is at home again after a protracted visit in London. Mr. Casey Owsley has returned from a visit to friends in Danville. Mrs. Wm. Bogle is the guest of Dr. Bogle and fam-

ily, of Danville. Mrs. A. H. Rice, who has been for some time in Nashville and Paducah, is at home again with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. B. Marksberry. Elder George Gowen will return to-day or to-morrow from a two-weeks' meeting at Flemingsburg. Elder H. O. Bush, of Nicholasville, is visiting his granddaughter, Mrs. E. A. Pascoe.

## OF A LOCAL NATURE.

—John Siers, of Lawrenceburg, was and killed at Lewiston, Idaho, by a woman tenant, to whom he went to collect rent.

—Ford, a lumbering town in Clark county, 12 miles from Richmond, with a population of 500 is to have a new hotel and bank.

—The Waddy Bank building, the confectionery of George Barriger and the furniture store of H. F. Nash were burned at Waddy, Shelby county, causing a loss of \$10,000.

—Only six out of the 27 teachers examined last Friday and Saturday obtained certificates. Of this number only one was first-class, and the remaining five second-class. —Richmond Register.

—While at work near Barboursville with the L. and N. bridge company, W. P. Oatman, a mechanic, was struck on the head with a pile driver and was knocked from the bridge, falling to the water 30 feet below. He was picked up unconscious and will die.

—John A. Haldeman, business manager of the Louisville Evening Times, and Frank B. Stouffer, connected with the business department, have returned from a tour of two months through favored portions of Europe. Mr. Haldeman married a daughter of Col. John Buchanan, of Crab Orchard.

—A dispatch from Indianapolis says that A. J. Catron, the jailer at Somerset, Ky., created a scene on an I. & V. train, coming into this city this afternoon, by standing off the conductor with a revolver. Catron had come to Bloomfield, Greene county, with requisition papers for James Hollers, who was wanted at Somerset for murder, but his man escaped before he reached there. He claimed to have paid his fare, and that the conductor insisted on payment again. The conductor threatened to put him off if the fare was not paid, and then Catron drew his gun and invited the conductor to come, which he did not do.

Excursion to Old Point Comfort, Va.  
On Tuesday, July 30th, the Chesapeake and Ohio will run a special train of Pullman palace sleeping cars and day coaches from Lexington to Old Point Comfort, leaving at 4:30 P. M. and arriving at Old Point early next afternoon, in time for a refreshing plunge in the surf before supper. Round trip tickets will be sold at \$13, good to return until August 17th. Stop overs will be granted at any station on return trip. Special low-rates will be made at the Hygeia Hotel and also to New York, Washington, Virginia Beach and at the surrounding resorts. A trip to Old Point Comfort affords a greater variety of recreation and enjoyment than any other resort known. Write a postal for descriptive circular giving full information. Special rates from all blue-grass towns.

GEORGE W. BARNEY,

Dist. Pass. Agent, Lexington, Ky.

—J. S. Melbourne, a well known contractor of Memphis, was accidentally killed by a negro, who was shooting at a woman.

—Chairman John D. Carroll announces that all railroads have given reduced rates to all who attend the democratic State convention at Louisville, June 25.

—Mr. Wanamaker has life insurance to the amount of \$2,000,000; John B. Stetson, \$750,000; Hamilton Dison, \$600,000; and Chauncey M. Depew, \$500,000.

—The Chicago Times-Herald says the "Kentucky republicans who have been fighting for 30 years for ground enough to bury their dead in, appear likely to gain possession of all the democratic graveyards this year." They are welcome to them.

—The largest hog in the world was not the Poland-China boar illustrated in our issue Dec. 29, 1894, that weighed 1,565 lbs. A Chester White boar owned by Robert Sisson, of Westley, R. I. weighed over 1,600 lbs and dressed 1,052 lbs, when killed in 1893, at the age of four years, by Albert Chapman, of Westley, who is still living and is an old and respected citizen. This hog was exhibited at Providence and Boston in 1893, an admission fee of 25c being charged. His hams weighed 87 and 88 lbs. respectively. The son of the owner, Mr. James Sisson, a well-known florist at Westley, is authority for this statement. —American Agriculturist.

The Queen & Crescent Route will sell tickets to Latonia and return at one and one-third fare from all stations in Kentucky. The races will be held this year from May 23d to June 26th. Ask agents for particulars. W. O. Rinearson, G. P. A., Cincinnati, O.

It is seldom that God sends such calamities upon man as men bring upon themselves.

## CRAB ORCHARD.

—The opening ball at Crab Orchard Springs which occurred Friday night was well attended by people from Lancaster, Danville and Stanford and was quite a success in every way. Guests keep coming in daily and the season promises to be one of gaiety and also of success for the manager.

—Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Bronaugh, Miss Minnie Munday and the Misses Witt are guests of Mrs. R. H. Bronaugh. Miss Annie Bronaugh has been very ill of stomach trouble, but is now thought to be out of danger. Mrs. Miller, of Chicago, and Mrs. F. A. Zeller, of Columbus, O., are visiting Mrs. J. F. Holdam. Johnnie Elmonston has returned from Georgetown, where he attended College last year.

—Miss Mayme McClure, of Garrard county, is visiting relatives in Crab Orchard and vicinity. Miss Lula Stewart went to Gray Saturday to visit a week with her brothers, Holdam and Carpenter, who hold positions with the North Jellico Coal Co. Mrs. T. A. Gresham, of Lancaster, is visiting Mrs. Alice Newland and calling on her many friends in Crab Orchard. Mrs. S. E. Brooks has gone to Harrodsburg to spend a week with her son John, and wife. Miss Mollie and Mr. Will say they are keeping open house during her absence.

—The holiness meeting which has been conducted by Revs. Davidson and Johnson at the Christian church during the past week closed Sunday night. It was attended by immense crowds of people, some through curiosity, others because of their earnest desire to get closer to God. It would be well for all to remember if they do not believe in the doctrine that they have the privilege of staying at home and friends, if you do and have no respect for the preachers and people who conduct the meeting, have respect for the house of God and yourselves and all will be well and we will hear of no evil reports as to the conduct of the people in our town who attend.

## DEATH'S DOINGS.

—Mr. J. R. McClary has received information of the death of his oldest sister, Mrs. Rachel L. Johnson, at Belton, Texas, last week. She was 91 years old.

—Miss Daisy Austin, daughter of Ed Austin, died at her home near Highland Friday night, after a protracted illness of consumption. She was 17 years old and for several years had been a member of the Methodist church. Her funeral was preached at the Methodist church at Highland Sunday by Rev. J. M. Cook, after which the body was laid to rest in the church burying ground.

A cure for cancer and consumption is reported to have been discovered by a New York doctor. The treatment consists of injecting minute doses of pilocarpin until the lymphatic system is stimulated and the white corpuscles of the blood overcome the poisonous particles which produce disease.

## WOMAN'S WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

One of America's most promising woman sculptors is Mrs. Katharine T. Prescott of Boston. She is not a society artist, but a good, faithful studio artist. Her life is in her work, not in fashionable teas and newspaper notices. That being the case, Mrs. Prescott is bound to win. She makes bas-relief portraits and ideal studies as well. She also chisels the full round figure, but her bas-reliefs are her special delight. One of the most striking of her recent works is a head of a "Trilby," her own idea, drawn from Du Maurier's description. She gives the beautiful Trilby a happy, innocent smile and truthful eye. Mrs. Prescott has made, too, an effective head of the singer Melba. Henry Irving never looked stronger or more characteristic than in the marble Mrs. Prescott has made of him, with the face of sweet Ellen Terry beside him. Mrs. Prescott makes casts in bronze as well as in marble. She is an enthusiast and a devoted student and deserves rich success.

Miss Sophie Weil is an illustration of the fact that a woman can run a livery stable successfully, even in New York city, where only the strongest and most skillful may keep footing in any walk in life. Four years ago Miss Weil's father died and left her the livery stable as an inheritance. Instead of selling it at half price and getting cheated even out of that, she undertook to conduct it herself. Under her constant care and shrewd personal supervision the business has thrived constantly and increased far beyond its dimensions while her father lived. Pluck, care and industry always win.

Let each woman decide for herself what she ought or ought not to be and do, and let all the rest, men and women both, mind their own business. No woman who wants to be an old fogey herself and shrink into the narrowest corner of what Artemus Ward called "wimmin's spear" has any right, not a shadow of right, to criticize the woman who feels cramped in that little corner. I wish the anti woman suffragists and the old foggies of both sexes could realize the truth of this. Let them stay a thousand years behind the times themselves if they wish, but let them let the new woman alone. She is so far above and beyond their purblind vision that they are not capable of seeing and judging her. ELIZA ARCHARD CONNER.

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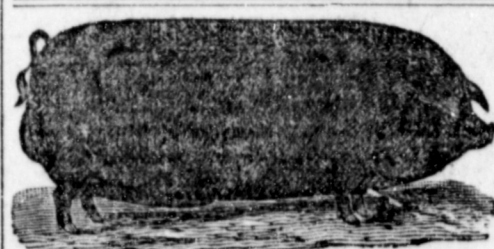
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## DRESS GOODS !

Woolen dress goods in great variety of style and quality and I know that I own them way down below their actual value and will sell them lower than the lowest. Don't buy your dress or silk shirt waist until you see how cheap I will sell them to you. Wash Fabrics I have in all the latest novelties, both in style and color. I have a line of check, striped and figured white goods carried over from last year for half price.

Carpets and Mattings.—My prices on these will surprise you. They are all new, not a single piece of carried over stock.

A Great Bargain.—A black stiff hat, the very latest shay, for \$1.15 worth \$3. The sequel—Buy and sell for Cash.

JAMES FRYE, Hustonville, Ky.



W. P. WALTON.

In his matchless speech on the currency question in Louisville Friday night, which was listened to by as fine an audience as ever gathered, Secretary John G. Carlisle thus eloquently defined democracy: "The democratic party is, and always has been, the great conservative force in this country, and during its long career it has successfully encountered many storms of passion and prejudice, relying always upon the enlightened judgment of the people for a final vindication of its course. It is opposed to radicalism and paternalism in all its forms, and it resists all encroachments upon the rights of person and property, whether they result from the exercise of arbitrary power upon the part of the government or from popular excitement. It opposes all sectional and class legislation, all attempts to favor one part of the people, or one part of the country, at the expense of another, and it insists at all times and under all circumstances that there shall be no governmental interference with the private affairs of the citizen, nor any charge upon his earnings, except so far as may be absolutely necessary for the preservation of public order and the maintenance of the public service. It believes in the inalienability of all contracts, public and private, not only as a matter of right and justice, but as a necessary guarantee of peace and prosperity in every community, and it always has believed in the preservation of a sound and stable currency for the use of the people in the transaction of their business in order that trade and commerce may be profitably conducted, and that honest labor may be adequately rewarded. If these are not essential parts of the old-fashioned democratic faith, I have been mistaken all my life. Agrarianism, communism, populism, fiatism have no place in the democratic creed, and can not be incorporated into it. They all have their origin in the same poisonous political atmosphere, and in the end they would all produce the same fatal results upon the republican institutions under which we live. They are not indigenous to our soil; they are the products of monarchical and arbitrary systems of government, and have been imported from the centers of metaphysical and impractical politics in Continental Europe. A free and prosperous country can never be the permanent home of these wild and revolutionary theories, and any political party that gives them countenance or encouragement will perish with them, and ought to perish with them."

RICHARD GODSON has sold his interest in the Midway Clipper to his partner, J. R. Williams, and will enter the practice of law. Godson is too good an editor to give up the quill in this way and we predict that after he has tried the dry and dreary task of waiting for clients, he will be glad to return to a printery and wait for delinquents. He and Mr. Williams have been associated for years and the bond of union was thought to be almost indissoluble.

To their credit be it said only three Kentuckians attended the Memphis silver pow-wow and they shall be nameless here forever more. The effort to turn the meeting into a third party movement proved futile, to the disgust of Sibley and others. The resolutions adopted are as long as the moral law and predict all sorts of disasters if the coinage of the white metal is not made free and unlimited.

The court of appeals decides that under the new constitution the L. & N. can not acquire a competing line and that its deal with the Chesapeake, Ohio & Southwestern is void. A new hearing will be asked and failing to get it, the L. & N. will take the case to the supreme court of the United States. The Illinois Central, which claims to own the road in controversy, is jubilant over the decision.

The public printing office is now under the civil service rules. It affects 2,500 employees and raises the number of persons in the employ of the government subject to the civil service law to 55,000. It looks like it won't be long till all the employees are governed by it and to the victor thereafter no spoils will accrue.

The court of appeals says that "Bad Tom" Smith must hang for the murder of Dr. Rader in Breathitt county. Good. Now let the governor fix an early date for the execution and let the world be quickly rid of this example of total depravity.

## NEWSY NOTES.

—Harriet Beecher Stowe completed her 84th year Friday.  
—The design of the American flag was adopted 118 years ago last Friday.  
—Judge Felix P. Poche, one of the best known lawyers and jurists of New Orleans, died Sunday.  
—Howard Harrison Iron Company, at Besemer, has increased the wages of its 1,500 employees 10 per cent.  
—The guests of the Phoenix Hotel at Winston, N. C., changed their place of boarding because the proprietor used ice that had been packed around a corpse to make ice tea and other cool drinks.

—Congressman Paul Sorg will be the democratic candidate for governor of Ohio.

—London is so crowded with American tourists that it is difficult to find hotel accommodations.

—Martin Lest died of lockjaw at Winchester, O., caused by a large splinter he ran under his thumb nail.

—One dollar a bushel was paid at St. Louis for the first carload of new wheat of the 1895 crop raised in Missouri.

—John Franklin, of Athens, Ga., sold his wife's Bible for money with which to buy morphine to commit suicide.

—At Brownsville, William Lewis, aged 16, was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years for housebreaking.

—Henry W. Wilber, former editor of the Republican, is the prohibitionist nominee for governor of New Jersey.

—The Western Union Telegraph company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent payable July 15.

—A pneumatic-tired hearse is the somewhat dubious attraction advertised in display type by an Atlanta undertaker.

—John Lawson broke the five-mile bicycle record at Chicago by going the distance in 11:33 2-5. The record was 11:40.

—In the 21 years that the White Star steamer Germanic has been in active service she has run over 1,500,000 statute miles.

—Four persons were killed and two probably fatally hurt by an explosion in a harness factory at Fall River, Mass., Friday.

—J. H. Vaughan, of Blue Lick Springs caught a fish out of Licking that weighed 67 pounds and measured five feet in length.

—A thunderbolt entered a store at Winchester, knocking several people down and fatally shocking Mrs. John Thomas.

—Two locomotives were wrecked and four colored tramps were killed by a collision on the Charleston and Savannah railroad.

—Fred Koontz and Will Douglas fought a duel about a young woman near Bloomington, Ind., in which Koontz was fatally wounded.

—I. D. Hancock, who murdered his wife near Perry, Ga., committed suicide by locking himself in his house and setting fire to the place.

—Naham Cross, of Valparaiso, Ind., slept himself to death. His physicians were unable to wake him until a few seconds before he died.

—Henry Meece is under arrest at Whitesburg, this State, for inducing Amos Collins to go in swimming with him and drowning him.

—Arthur Gauden, killed his wife and fatally wounded her paramour, Thomas Murphy, at Rollington, 13 miles from Louisville, on the Brownsboro pike.

—The gold reserve in the treasury, which has remained almost stationary for several weeks, is now \$99,525,019. The available cash balance is \$183,429,801.

—Harry McCoolage, while repairing the top of a furnace at Philadelphia fell inside and plunged down 65 feet into the furnace. His body was almost instantly cremated.

—Miss Mary Tate, who died recently at Connersville, Ind., left a request that her corpse be "laid out" on a piano and that her funeral sermon should be a lecture on temperance.

—Chili is to coin 10,000,000 silver dollars per annum and issue gold in \$5, \$10 and \$20 pieces. Silver is not to be a legal tender in amounts above \$50, but the mint will exchange gold for silver.

—Frank Martin, a Paducah barber, has conducted a shop within a block of the Ohio for 10 years, and has never been to the river in that time. He was doubtless too busy talking to his customers.

—R. W. Dawson shot and killed his negro paramour and Frank Macklin, a plantation manager, and mortally wounded a negro boy at Natchez Island, Miss. In defying arrest he was shot to death.

—Lee Williams, an illicit distiller near Parkersburg, W. Va., swore falsely in the United States court and in less than a half hour was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary by Judge Jackson, without further trial.

—A Durham bull mad with hydrophobia treed Harmon Williams in an apple tree near Greenup, Ky. He was held a prisoner until his 16-year-old son was called and shot the enraged animal.

—Because of the recent appellate court decision in regard to the election of officials of cities of the second class, 30 citizens have announced themselves candidates for mayor of Covington and 20 for mayor of Newport.

—Zimmerman and Johnson, the rival bicycle racers, have been matched for \$5,000 a side. The race is to take place on a track to be selected by Zimmerman anywhere outside of Asbury Park. It is to be the best two in three.

—An effort is being made to purchase the Lynnland College, one of the prettiest places on the L. & N. railroad. The price asked is \$6,700, and \$4,000 of the money has already been raised. An offer of \$5,500 has been made for it by parties who desire to conduct a mixed school.

—The four-year-old son of Frank Ring, of Hamilton, O., heard his father talk about a man committing suicide by hanging and securing a piece of rope, he went to the barn and proceeded to do likewise. His screams attracted his parents' attention and when they reached him, the little fellow was almost strangled.

## FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—A Lewis county man sold \$303 worth of strawberries in a week.

—Don Juan, 2:15, pacing, was burned to death in a stable at Cleveland, O.

—A Tennessee man sold \$350 worth of strawberries from 1 1/2 acres of land.

—Growing crops of wheat are being sold of Woodford at 75 cents per bushel.

—Joe Coffey bought of John Johnson, of Boyle, a bunch of fat heifers and steers at 3 1/2c.

—B. D. Holtzclaw sold in Cincinnati a lot of lambs at 3 to 5 1/2c and a lot of butcher stuff at 2 to 3 1/2c.

—A new steam plow tested at Waynesboro, Pa., turns furrows aggregating 40 feet in width at one time.

—For SALE.—One registered Jersey heifer, two years old and heavy with calf. J. M. Hubbard, Stanford.

—P. W. Green refused \$250 for a green 4-year old the other day, which goes to prove that horses are advancing in prices.

—G. W. St. Clair sold to a New York party a pair of black mares for \$1,250. One is by Stranger and the other by Acolyte.

—Free Advice won the Himyar stakes at Latonia Saturday, beating the great Hanover colt, Halma. Distance 1 1/2 miles; time 1:56 1/2.

—Barney 2:08 1/2, pacing, is said to be as "swift as the wind" this year and it is thought that he will reduce his record a second or more.

—Entries to the trots and paces at the Richmond fair close June 26. The exhibition will be July 23 to 26. There are five races with \$400 purses and five with \$300.

—A Chicago butcher has broken the record for speedy cattle dressing. With a helper he succeeded in killing and dressing a steer in five minutes and 17 seconds.

—The noted stallion, Bishop, sire of Racine, Prime Minister, Senator Irby, Lollie Easton and other high class race horses, was burned to death at Gallatin, Tenn., Saturday night.

—During the past 10 years there were imported into this country nearly 30,000,000 bushels of potatoes. This importation was kept up even during the heaviest potato producing year of the period.

—The 12 trotting-bred horses sold by Mr. Junius W. Johnson at Georgetown brought \$2,790, an average of \$132 50. The top price was \$232 50. The prices were considered low for the class of stock offered.

—The Democrat says that the wool crop of Clark county for 1895, is the shortest for many years, the estimate being less than 50,000 pounds. The clip is usually about 125,000 pounds and some years has reached 175,000.

—D. C. Terhune bought within the past few days 20 strictly first-class sugar mule colts, 19 of them mares, at an average of \$32 25. Bonta Brothers, of this county, sold 4,000 bushels of wheat Monday at 85c.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

—Armour is reported as stating that he would be pleased to make an average profit of 50 cents a head on all the cattle he slaughtered. As he kills 3,000 a day, it would him a profit for the year of \$450,000 aside from his trade in pork and sheep.

—Domino, the odds on favorite, finished fourth in the Suburban, the race being won by Lazzarone, with Sir Walter second and Song and Dance third. The mile and a quarter was covered in 2:07 4-5. The betting on Lazzarone was 10 to 1.

—Frank McVey, who bought the speedy grey gelding from Scott Farris, is very proud of his purchase. He sent him in 1 to 164 seconds and believes he could have gone the whole mile at that gait. He has named him Brickyard Joe. He is by Edwin W., by Pence, he by Rienzi.

—The fifth annual exhibition of the Knox county Fair Association will be held at Barbourville, beginning August 27, and continuing four days. More and bigger premiums than ever before have been offered and the fair promises to be a big success. W. W. Tinsley, secretary, will send you a catalogue on application.

—A Pennsylvania farmer made a test with 50 chickens and one cow and gave the result as follows: Value of milk sold from one cow, \$114.10; income from 50 hens, mostly for eggs sold, \$150.81. The cost of keeping the cow was given at \$52, while the maintenance of the hens cost \$50 and less attention than the cow.

—B. F. Fox sold this week to Tom Collins, of Collier, his well-known trotter, Neale, 2:27 class, for \$750. Matt Cohen's promising two-year-old mare, "Empire Wilkes," died Wednesday night. She was valued at \$500. Covington & Arnold sold Wednesday to Spyer & Son, Lexington, 20,000 pounds of wool at an average price of 15 cents. It made three solid car loads.—Richmond Register.

—Henry Whitaker killed Newton Anderson in Montgomery county. The latter had threatened his life.

—The city of Des Moines is again "dry," owing to a court decision declaring the license of saloons unlawful.

—Gov. Morton will sign the bill to make the study of the nature and effect of alcoholic drinks and all narcotics a part of the public school course.

—Recent surveys are said to have established definitely the tradition that the first house in Kentucky was in Knox county, on the bank of the Cumberland river.

## WOMEN AS GUIDES.

Why They Are Employed at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing.

The bureau of engraving and printing is the only place in Washington or any other well known place of interest where young women are employed as guides.

The guide is an important person to all visitors and sightseers. His effectiveness hangs on his ability to spin the most extraordinary yarns, to always have an answer ready, whether correct or not, and the man who can pour the most information into a tourist in the least time is the one who flourishes.

That is the regulation government guide. But the bureau of engraving and printing prides itself on a superior brand of guide in the shape of six southern young women, Miss Fannie Gilman, Baltimore; Wilhelmina Ballman of Washington; Mrs. Diana Danforth, Forest Glen, Md.; Mrs. Myrtle Duffy, Wheeling; Miss McCarthy, Washington, and Mrs. Lottie Adams of Tennessee, who act as ushers to all visitors to the bureau. Of course the place where the government makes its money has an overpowering attraction to people from all over the country, and on account of the work done in the building more than the usual care has to be taken as to the admission of visitors. Indeed it is almost as hard for a person to get out as to get in if he or she has been allowed to walk through the main halls alone to call on an office clerk.

Visitors who are taken into the working sections are subjected to closer scrutiny than they would relish if it were suspected. These six young women are model guides. They are not appointed just to positions as guides. They have passed civil service examinations and been appointed to actual labor in the mechanical divisions.

The best guides are those who have worked in the greatest number of different divisions, so that they are able to impart information because they understand precisely what operations are being carried on and can answer questions intelligently.

Once years ago men were employed for guides, but man's work costs more than woman's labor, and so some brilliant chief determined to try girls. It is utterly impossible to allow ordinary guides such as are admitted in other departments to be about among the work going on. It must necessarily be some responsible employee, and not only does the bureau pride itself on its detailed corps of young ladies, but visitors invariably exclaim: "Oh, she's a girl guide. I'm so glad. I'm tired of men."

"It's not hard work physically, only we do wish sometimes that people would ask new questions," said one. "Everybody asks just the same questions. We always know beforehand what to expect."

"Do you ever give visitors souvenirs?" The six looked at each other merrily. "There, that's one of the usual questions. Give them souvenirs! It would be more than our heads are worth to try it. Why, every scrap of paper here has to be accounted for, even those that are spoiled. Everybody wants a souvenir, some 'little thing' like a \$100 bill with only one side engraved, or some other trifle. And sometimes they do get awfully mad with us because we can't yield. If they want souvenirs, they have to buy them on the steps outside."

"Do you think you are smarter than men guides?"

"Of course we aren't conceited. You'd better ask the chief. I can tell you, though, that five of us have handled 800 visitors in a day. The captain of the watch divides them up into squads as large as we can conduct around. You see we are expected not only to give the information, but also to keep our eyes on every motion, because visitors are determined to have a souvenir somehow or other and don't stop to think it is an absolutely necessary rule of the bureau not to allow them to take anything away."

"The hardest thing, though," said a pretty blond haired widow, "is to refuse the gifts visitors want to make us. Of course we are paid for our services and are not allowed to accept presents of money or anything else. Some people really become quite indignant at that, and droll things result. One western woman to whom I had given more time than customary because she had asked sensible questions wanted to give me some money and then offered me other things. Of course I tried to explain that it was against the rules of the bureau, when she took out a package of chewing gum, 'Well, I guess they won't mind you're taking some gum.'"

MRS. MCQUIRE.

The Bachelor's Needlebook.

Have you heard of the "bachelor's needlebook"? It is made larger than the ordinary kind. Take two pieces of cardboard, about 4 by 5 1/2 inches in size, and cover each, on both sides, with brown linen, overhanging it on very tightly, so all will be smooth. One of the pieces of linen used should have been marked, "A Bachelor's Needlebook," in fancy letters, and outlined in olive green, dark brown or red, as desired.

Sew the boards together at the shorter ends, on one side, fastening two bows of narrow ribbon where the sewing is done. Short ribbons are served on the opposite ends to tie the boards together with. Several flannel leaves are put in, and on these threaded needles are stuck, the threads being wound back and forth around each needle. All sizes of black and white thread, linen thread and darning cotton are used.

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## Money :: Making

—DURING JUNE—

## Out of The Question

—WITH US.—

Money losing and unloading of some goods the order of the day during this June Smash Up Clearance Sale. Our Great Summer Merchandise Movement is well under way. Its volume is enormous, even for us. It is this rapid retailing which often enables us to make prices about half what you expect to pay. We particularly invite inspection of our ladies' and gents' underwear. 4cc for a Balbriggan shirt and a pair of bleach jeans drawers, worth 75c, for men.

Ladies' Swiss ribbed vests 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c.

Shirt waists, Percales—our stock was never so attractive and has been the talk of the town.

White Dress Goods—we show a complete assortment.

India Linen 5c, 6 1/2c, 7 1/2c, 8 1/2c, 10c and 20c.

Lawns and Challies 4 1/2c. We have received another line of

## CLOTHING!

Which will be put in the Smash-Up Sale at prices that will surprise you. When you see the goods you will wonder how they can be manufactured at the price.

Five dozen Derby hats, black, grey and brown, nice style, not a one worth less than \$1.50, will go in this sale at 50c.

## LOUISVILLE: STORE,

STANFORD, KY.

A. URBANSKY &amp; CO., Proprietors,

T. D. RANEY, Manager.

Branch Stores:

Paris, Carlisle, Mt. Sterling, Bardstown, Lawrenceburg, Cynthiana, Versailles, Eminence, Georgetown, Ky., and Mackport, Ind.

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## 90 Degrees Sale.

Straw Hats, Luster, Serge and Flannel Coats and Vests. Clay Worsteds Suits in grays, browns and blacks, simply unsurpassed in cut, finish, trimmings and fit. Wash goods for ladies in Lawns, Organdies, Jaconet Duchess, Crepons, Satteens, Gingham, India Linens, Paris Muslins. P. Ks. Dotted Swisses in whites and colors—in fact everything for Summer

We will also put in this sale our large stock of Hamburgs and Laces. Our Shoe stock for the Fall trade was bought at the old prices and we propose to give our customers all the advantage. There will be a great difference in prices now and this Fall and those who can should avail themselves of the advantage.

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## HUGHES &amp; TATE.

## St. Asaph Carriage Co.,

STANFORD, KENTUCKY,

MERSHON &amp; GREER, Proprietors.

All kinds of Wagon, Buggy and Carriage Making and Repairing done in first-class style.

## Horse Shoeing and Blacksmithing of all Kinds.

Special attention to horses with diseased feet. We have an artistic Trimmer who will satisfy the taste of the most fastidious in his work.

MR. A. H. KINLEY, AN EXPERIENCED PAINTER.

Has charge of our Painting Department. Give us a trial.

## SUMMER CLOTHING

## LIGHT AND DARK COLORS.

## Flannel, Worsted, Luster.

Call and See Them.

## H. J. M'ROBERTS.



## PERSONAL POINTS.

MISS MARIE WARREN is quite sick. Rev. R. B. MAHONY is in Chicago on business.

THE editor has been very ill for the last two days.

MISS MATTIE HOLDERMAN is visiting her brother at Lebanon.

Mrs. W. E. ELLIS left yesterday to visit her mother in Glasgow.

MR. J. R. FARRIS, of Lexington, spent Sunday with friends here.

MISS CARRIE DAVIS, of Mercer, is the guest of Mrs. A. G. Eastland.

MISS LAURA SEVERANCE, of Lebanon, is the guest of Mrs. Joe Severance.

MR. G. G. FAIR went down to Hartford Saturday to see his homefolks for a few days.

Mrs. PATTIE GREEN, of Hustonville, spent several days with her son, Mr. P. W. Green.

MISS JULIA STAGG, of Hustonville, is the guest of Miss Bertie Enoch.—Somerset Reporter.

Mrs. DR. J. D. PETTUS, of Crab Orchard, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jas. F. Cummins.

PROF. J. E. ROBINSON has returned from Washington county, where he has been teaching.

MR. NATH MCKINNEY attended the commencement exercises of Central University last week.

PROF. T. M. GOODKNIGHT was over from Frankfort in the interest of Supt. Ed Porter Thompson.

MR. W. H. SHANKS spent a few days with his friends, Messrs. O. L. and T. W. Jones, in the country.

LITTLE MISS STELLA RUPLEY went down to Marion yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. Dr. Hourigan.

Mrs. W. B. MOSS and pretty daughter, Miss Eudoxia, of Garrard, were over yesterday on a shopping tour.

MISS J. A. CRAFT, of Louisville, and W. A. MORROW, of Somerset, were here attending circuit court.

MISS LIZZIE MENEFER was given a reception by Prof. and Mrs. Elrod at Lynnland College Friday night.

MISS MAMIE DUBOISE, of Stanford, and Miss Lula Stuart, of Crab Orchard, are visiting Mrs. C. S. Neild at Grays.

LITTLE EDWARD and GRATTAN WOODSON, of Middlesboro, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Crow.

Mrs. M. E. LORD and little daughter, Bessie, of Louisville, are up to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Harris.

MR. W. D. ROBINSON, of Hartranft, Tenn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson, in the Hubble section.

PROF. L. C. BOSLEY, principal of the Campbellsville High School, is at home for the vacation and was with friends here Saturday.

Mrs. SAMUEL REID and Mrs. Prissie Drye, of Hustonville, have been the guests of Mrs. W. L. Evans and other relatives here.

REV. LAWRENCE WILLIAMS and Misses Mattie Williams and Lillie Marandi, of Adair, are visiting Miss Lela Carter in the West End.

MISS SADIE LILLARD has returned from the Southwest Va. Institute where she attended school. She is the guest of Mrs. Mary Craig.

MISS ELLA and ESTELLA WILLIS and Mr. J. E. Willis, all of Columbia, are guests at Mr. Theodore Powell's in the McCormacks church section.

MR. WARREN SHELBY, who was taken some weeks ago to St. Joseph's Hospital at Lexington for special treatment, is reported as mending rapidly.—Advocate.

MISS LAURA MACANALLY, the pretty niece of Mrs. J. M. Hubbard, will graduate Thursday at the Grand Conservatory of Music, New York, after which she will locate in Memphis and teach.

THE Danville Advocate has this notice of a rising young man. He is a brother of Miss Gertrude Howard, of Ghent, who was music teacher at the College here several years: Mr. U. J. Howard, one of the graduates of the law school, will go at once to Covington to be associated in the practice of his profession with the Hon. Harvey Myers. Mr. Howard is not only a capable young lawyer, but a courteous, affable gentleman, and will be found among the most successful of the first graduating class.

## CITY AND VICINITY.

TRY Danks' imitation cut glass.

BICYCLES for sale cheap. See J. E. Nevius at Stanford Roller Mill.

A DOLLAR'S worth of granulated sugar for \$1, that is 20 pounds. C. D. Powell.

VIOLET talcum powder. Delightful toilet and baby powder; 25c. W. B. McRoberts.

FRUIT jars bought before the advance and sold at very low prices. W. H. Wearen & Co.

THIRTEEN colored persons presented themselves for examination for teachers Friday and Saturday.

MR. G. B. COOPER, liveryman, received yesterday a "Wagonette," the best vehicle yet made for excursions, picnics and the like.

WE fit spec's. Danks, the Optician.

\$1 spectacles at Danks', the Optician.

SEE our dinner ware. Danks, the Jeweler.

FRUIT jars, &c., at Higgins & McKinney's.

THE signal service predicts a shower this afternoon.

THE rain Saturday, although very light, did a great deal of good. A splendid rain fell in the West End.

WE are overstocked on saddles. Come in and get them cheaper than ever before. M. S. & J. W. Baughman.

BARGAINS extraordinary. All China and wash silks that were 40c, 50c and 60c now go at 25c. Severance & Son.

THE L. & N. is making many improvements at Corbin, thus indicating that it has decided to let Rowland remain in the cold for good and all.

THE lady Macabees were busy yesterday cleaning up and "putting the finishing touches" on Odd Fellows Hall, which is now a thing of beauty on the inside.

A good crowd from here attended the Crab Orchard Springs opening hop and all report a merry time. Manager Hoffmann left nothing undone to add to the pleasure of his guests.

THE threatened damage suits of James D. Cooby and Jason Blacketty have been filed at Danville. They sue J. W. Burke for \$5,000 each for having them arrested and indicted for stealing a cow from him and selling it for beef. The case was dismissed when brought to trial.

OUR Liberty correspondent sends us the following: "Jesse Royalty, assistant postmaster at Liberty and clerk for Mr. John W. Whipp, was found dead Friday morning in the little porch in the rear of Mr. Whipp's store and in front of his lumber room." Mr. Royalty was about 35 years old and unmarried.

HENRY BELL, the Lebanon darkey who was put in jail Sunday for drunken and disorderly conduct and carrying a concealed weapon, was tried before Judge Carson and given 10 days in jail and fined \$25. The cost amounted to \$4 and as the fellow had no money, he will work 30 days on the rock pile for his fun.

MUSIC STORE.—Mr. P. H. Idol opened his music store yesterday and spent the day receiving. He has a handsome line of pianos and organs of various makes, and will also carry sheet music. He hasn't forgotten his first love—the sewing machine—and will continue to push the New Home for all it is worth. His store is opposite the St. Asaph Hotel and next to Withers & Hocker's.

THE Phonograph Concert to be given at Walton's Opera House next Saturday night will be well worth hearing. It will be selections from operas, band performances, &c. Do not confound this instrument with those you have to listen to by ear tubes. It is arranged so that its sounds can be heard distinctly all over the house. Don't fail to attend. Admission for grown people 25 cents, children 15.

SAVED HIS NECK.—Lewis Rector, an ex-convict and notorious horse thief, was lodged in jail at London and Friday night a mob of about 60 men took him out to hang him. They placed a rope around his neck and started to carry out their designs, when the fellow promised to give a big snap away if he were permitted to live. His plea was granted and he made some startling revelations, implicating men who had never before been suspected.

ON Saturday night the quart house at W. H. Traylor's Edgewood distillery was broken into and some 30 gallons of whiskey, a pistol, a silver watch and about \$5 in money stolen. Entrance was effected by breaking the lock. There were evidently two men engaged in the theft and they were tracked nearly to this place. Their horses were hitched about a quarter of a mile from the distillery and from the numerous tracks they made were there quite a while. Diligent search will be made to find out the guilty parties.

11 TO 0.—Our base ball club defeated the Hustonville team by a score of 11 to 0 in a game at the grounds near the water-works Friday afternoon. Will Hendricks and George Dunn were the battery for the home team and did some excellent work, while Carpenter and Huffman for the visiting boys deserve much credit. Their support was not good however and they lost out badly. This is our team's first game of the season and the members have right to feel proud of their good start. Al Florence umpired the game and did it very satisfactorily.

WITH colored excursions from Louisville, Campbellsville and Somerset and all the darkeys from the adjoining counties, Stanford was pretty full of the colored brother Sunday. They came to attend the Baptist association which was in session here and the number was variously estimated at from 1,000 to 2,000. Services were held at each of the three colored churches and at the court-house, but the combined capacity was not equal to the occasion. All the big divines were on hand and not for years has Stanford been treated to as much preaching. Notwithstanding the immense crowd splendid order was preserved and only one arrest made. It was a big day and will long be remembered by both white and colored.

THIEVES made a raid on Mr. T. J. Hatcher's hen roost the other night and relieved it of 17 hens and chickens.

CHIEF BRUCE had the fire laddies out Friday night giving them a little practice. He will continue this each Friday night until the boys become adepts at fighting fire.

THE ice cream and strawberry supper given by the ladies of the union Sunday-school at Moreland cleared about \$25, which was very good, considering the inclement weather.

CAPT. THOMAS RICHARDS, manager of Linnietta Park Springs, offers a week's board to the best lady and gentleman dancers at a hop to be given at that delightful Summer resort on the night of July 4. Stanford will have several entries.

THE Lancaster stage made its first Sunday trip Sunday and carried back probably the first sack of mail that was ever taken into that place on the Lord's day. We congratulate the good people of our sister city on the improvement in their mail facilities.

NOTHING of importance was done in the circuit court Friday and Saturday but yesterday the damage suit of Alex Traylor against his brother John Traylor was begun. Only two witnesses were examined and the case will likely take up most of to-day. Mr. Traylor sues his brother for \$5,000 damages for cutting him in a difficulty.

ABOUT 20 couples of young people stormed Miss Lena Bruce Thursday night and had a delightful time. Tet-a-tetes and games were enjoyed and at the proper hour fruits of various kinds were served. Misses Elma Courts and Jennie Dickinson added to the enjoyment of the evening by creditably rendering several recitations.

THE Seattle, Wash., Times says that Mr. and Mrs. Horace Brown (the latter will be remembered as Miss Sue Helm) were thrown from a boat while rowing and came near being drowned. Both husband and wife went down once before men could rescue them and it was only after hard work that they were taken out of the water at all. The couple went immediately to shore and a gurney conveyed them to their rooms at the Arlington.

JUDGE W. O. HANSFORD, of Manchester, is here attending court. He tells us that Judge Clark has just completed a two-weeks' term of court in Clay, at which four persons were sent to the penitentiary from one to seven years. The criminal docket was not completed and not a civil case was tried, notwithstanding night sessions of the court were frequently held. Judge Hansford is well pleased with his new home, but still thinks there is no place like the East End of Lincoln.

## CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—Rev. J. P. Halseell filled his appointments at Walnut Flat Sunday.

—The Baptists of Oceano, Cal., use for baptismal purposes a natural lake of tepid water near the town.

—As a result of the recent Sam Jones revival in Owensboro, there were 61 additions to various churches.

—Down at Clinton, Ky., Friday, a couple aged 72 and 68 years respectively, eloped to Tennessee and were married. Their parents probably objected to the union of the young things.

—Chicago is to have a church whose sole object is to make an aggressive fight against crime. The plan is to have Sunday services in the theatres and carry on reform work during the week.

—Central Holiness camp meeting will be held at Wilmore, beginning July 29th, and continue 12 days. The ministerial help will be by persons pre-eminently fitted as leaders in camp meeting work.

—"Rev." Andrew Johnson's meeting at Crab Orchard, unlike the one at Goshen, was a dismal failure. The East End people are too sensible to wander off after the sanctification doctrine and while they attended his meetings, they did not endorse his teachings and no one accepted them.

—Rev. Henry Faulconer has just closed a 10 day revival meeting at Franklin school-house with 22 professions of faith by adults. This makes about 100 conversions that Mr. Faulconer has had in his meetings during the past four months and speaks well for his ability as an effective preacher and evangelist.—Advocate.

—Grasshoppers are reported to be devouring the crops in portions of the Indian Territory.

—Policeman Charles Evans, who was shot by a negro named Johnson at Mt. Sterling, died Sunday.

—Nine persons were killed and 20 others were injured by the explosion of 13 boilers near Galsborough, Yorkshire, England. The damage to property is estimated at \$250,000.

—The total membership of the Knights of Honor is 130,000 and more than \$60,000,000 has been paid out in the 22 years of its existence to sick members and their widows and orphans.

—Frank Williams, a farmer living near St. Francis, Kansas, while in a fit of jealous rage, attempted to murder his wife, also Mrs. Alice Smith and William Smith. He then beat out the brains of his own children, a little girl aged about five and a boy about nine years of age, using a hatchet, after which he blew his own brains out with a revolver.

## THE CONVENTION.

Delegates Fully Instructed and the Cleveland and Carlisle Administration Endorsed.

The county convention which met yesterday afternoon to select delegates to the Louisville convention was organized by making Mr. A. K. Denny, chairman, and Mr. J. M. White, secretary. The following delegates were represented either in person or by proxy:

Stanford No. 1—T. P. Hill, R. L. Hubble, W. H. Miller. No. 2—A. K. Denny, R. C. Warren, S. T. Harris. No. 3—J. P. Bailey, J. E. Lynn, W. E. Varnon. No. 4—W. P. Grimes, A. C. Dunn, T. L. Shelton.

Hustonville No. 1—T. B. Robinson, H. M. Johnson, J. F. Moore. No. 2—Dr. J. T. Bohon, W. G. Cowan. No. 3—J. E. Wright, J. A. Givens, W. M. Murphy.

Crab Orchard No. 1—R. H. Bronaugh, J. H. White, J. K. Sutton. No. 2—J. H. Carson, Ward Moore.

Waynesburg No. 1—No delegate. No. 2—D. A. Twaddle. No. 3—No delegate.

W. E. Varnon moved that five delegates be selected as a committee to draft resolutions and the chair appointed Messrs. W. H. Miller, J. F. Moore, R. H. Bronaugh, D. A. Twaddle and W. P. Grimes.

Resolved 1. That we endorse the administration of President Cleveland, his sound financial policy as presented by him in his messages to Congress and as expounded by Mr. Carlisle, secretary of the treasury, and the general policy of the democratic administration to reform tariff taxation.

2. That we endorse the candidacy of Hon. C. M. Clay, Jr., of Bourbon, for the office of governor and instruct our delegates to the State convention to vote for him for the nomination and to use all honorable means to secure it.

3. As to all other offices we recommend that the convention act independently of any recommendation by this convention, who has not heard a sufficient expression to know the wishes of the democrats of the county.

4. We recommend that the following named delegates and alternates be appointed to the State convention:

Delegates—R. H. Bronaugh, W. P. Grimes, A. C. Dunn, W. H. Miller, A. K. Denny, Geo. R. Egleman, W. E. Varnon, J. M. Carter, James F. Moore, David Adams, D. A. Twaddle, Hayden Reynolds, John Sutton, B. W. Givens.

Alternates—T. J. Fayne, Jas. H. Carson, Geo. P. Bright, J. S. Owsley, Jr., R. C. Warren, S. T. Harris, H. M. Johnson, John Bailey, J. J. McKinney, W. L. McCarty, Henderson Baugh, E. B. Caldwell, Jr., L. L. Dawson, John Smith.

The delegates were instructed to vote for C. M. Clay, Jr., for governor; C. W. Metcalf, secretary of State; R. C. Ford, treasurer, W. H. Gardner, second choice; Auditor, L. C. Norman; supt. public instruction, Ed Porter Thompson, H. K. Taylor, 2d choice; register land office, M. F. Brinkley, G. B. Swango, second choice; commissioner of agriculture, L. B. Nall; railroad commissioner, George B. Fulton, Mr. McCain, second choice.

## MATRIMONIAL MYSTERS.

—Col. John Wolford, 43 years old and three times a widower, was married at Lawrenceburg to Miss Melissa Reddish, aged 13.

—Two young people who had but a few hours before graduated from Earlham College, Ind., were married by a member of the same class.

—The marriage of Miss Rowena Deering, daughter of Rev. J. R. Deering, of Versailles, to John Lewis Shearer, of Cincinnati, will take place on June 27.

—Miss Etna Craycroft, of Mt. Olive, has married a new man after trying twice to kill herself because her first lover proved untrue. It doesn't take some people long to transfer their affections.

—Miss Florence A. Sloan, a grand daughter of the late William H. Vanderbilt, and James A. Burden, Jr., of Troy, were married at Lenox, Mass., last week. The value of the bride's trousseau is given as \$40,000, and the wedding presents were estimated at \$700,000, while the cost of the wedding is said to have been \$1,000,000.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HIDES. I will take all the hides I can get for cash or in trade for leather on court days at Stanford or at my home in Ottentheim. Chas. Ennsin, Tanner.

## First Grand Hop

OF THE SEASON,

Friday Evening, June 21,

—AT—

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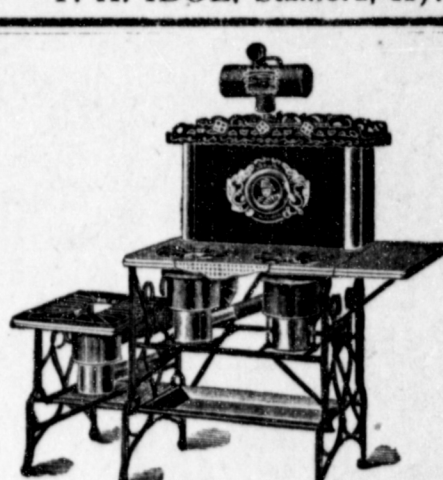
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